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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In Re the Application of:

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For: *Apparatus and Method for Exposing a Substrate to Plasma Radicals*

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 1.97, Applicants desire to make of record the references set forth on the attached Form PTO 1449. Copies of cited reference are submitted herewith.

It is hereby certified that this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of the subject application, therefore no petition or fee is required. However, in the event a petition is needed for consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement, Applicants hereby so petition. Please charge any required fee due to Deposit Account No. 01-1651. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,
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